

Appliances, Electronics & Metal Items

Appliances, electronics and metal items can be collected curbside for recycling by requesting a pick up online at www.newtonma.gov/billpay. The \$25 pickup fee includes one TV/monitor, each additional is \$18.



You can also bring appliances, electronics and metal items to the Resource Recovery Center at 115 Rumford Ave during open hours. There is a \$25 fee for TVs and computer monitors (\$18 for each additional). Proof of payment must be presented to the attendant before dropping off TVs/monitors.

Bulky Item Pickup

Curbside pick up can be requested for oversized items such as:

- Couches
- Chairs
- Mattresses
- Tables
- Carpets (bundled into lengths of 4ft or less, less than 50lbs)
- Wood (bundled, less than 4ft long, less than 50lb)



Make a request by using the Newton 311 app or website, or call Newton Customer Service at (617) 796-1000.

Requests will be picked up on your collection day if scheduled by 3:30pm on the business day before your collection day.

CONTACT US

Resource Recovery Center

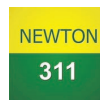
Monday-Saturday: 7:15am-2:30pm
115 Rumford Ave., Auburndale, MA 02466
Closed during holidays and extreme weather

Customer Service at City Hall

Monday-Friday: 8:30am-5:00pm
Tuesday until 8:00pm
1000 Commonwealth Ave., Newton, MA 02459
(617) 796-1000
recycling@newtonma.gov

GET CONNECTED

Download *Recycle Right Newton* to get trash day reminders, view the collection calendar, find the best way to get rid of stuff, and play the waste sorting game.



Ask questions, report problems, and make requests by dialing 311 from any Newton landline or download the Newton MA 311 app



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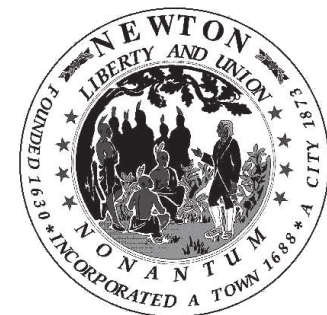
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CITY OF NEWTON
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MANAGEMENT DIVISION



CURBSIDE COLLECTION 101



Department of Public Works
1000 Commonwealth Ave.
Newton, MA 02459

Curbside Cart Collection

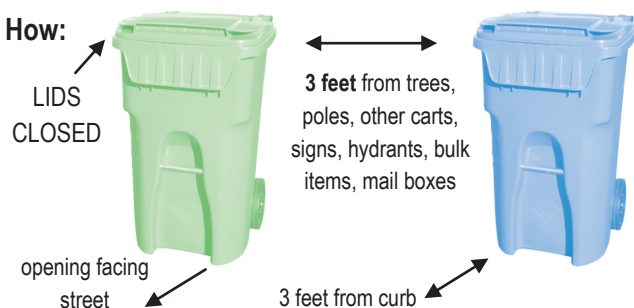
Households served by the City's waste collection program are issued 2 carts: a **blue cart for trash** and a **green cart for single-stream recycling**. The carts provide an equitable solution for collection services.

As stated in Chapter 11 of Newton's ordinances, all Newton residents are responsible for sorting and properly preparing household waste and recyclable materials for collection.

Setting Waste Out for Collection

When: by 7am on your collection day, or as early as 4pm the day before

How:



Do not block sidewalks with waste or carts at the curb.

Yard Waste Collection

Weekly yard waste collection begins at the end of March and goes through early December (weather permitting).

Place yard waste in a paper yard waste bag or your own barrel at the curb on your collection day.

Accepted Materials

- Grass clippings
- Tree leaves
- Tree and shrub pruning
- Wood chips
- Small vegetable and flower plants



Not Accepted

- Plastic bags
- Dirt, sand
- Rocks
- Asphalt
- Brick
- Concrete

Use twine to tie branches and limbs in bundles that are less than 4' long and 3' in diameter.

Bag or barrel must not exceed 50 gallons or 50 pounds.

Single Stream Recycling



Empty bottles, jars, and containers made of metal, plastic and glass from the kitchen, laundry and bath. Printed paper and flattened cardboard. That's it. And remember, when in doubt, throw it out!

Green Cart Overflow

- 1) Look for ways to reduce packaging and paper waste
- 2) Flatten all cardboard boxes
- 3) Drop off occasional excess recyclables at the Newton Resource Recovery Center (115 Rumford Ave)
- 4) Request an extra green cart by calling Customer Service at 617-796-1000

Blue Cart Do's & Don'ts

Break, cut, crush, etc. to get materials to fit into blue cart

Bag all trash and place in blue cart

Throw away materials that are not recyclable, reusable, or compostable

Purchase orange overflow bags for occasional excess trash and place curbside for collections

Dispose of recyclable material in the blue cart

Dispose of yard waste

Dispose of construction & demolition materials

Dispose of household hazardous waste

Dispose of sharps, needles, and medication

Include bulky items in your car



Blue Cart Overflow

- 1) Take steps to reduce the amount of waste generated by your household—visit newtonma.gov/wastereduction.
- 2) For occasional overflow trash, purchase 33-gallon orange “overflow” bags at local retailers. Find a list of retail locations at www.newtonma.gov/recycling.
- 3) For regular overflow trash, an extra cart can be purchased for an annual fee. You can pick up a form and make payment at Newton City Hall or you can order an additional trash cart on the City’s website at www.newtonma.gov/billpay.